

Allard—Reports from DoHS, Allard—Reports from DoHS, Baucus—Border Air Bases Security Money, Baucus—Relevant, Baucus—Relevant, Bennett—U.S.—Customs Service, Biden—AMTRAK, Boxer—Air Marshals, Boxer—Air Marshals, Boxer—Interoperable Communications, Boxer—Port Security Grants, Boxer—Related to Homeland Security, Bunning—Aviation Security, Bunning—Relevant and Germane, Byrd—Additional Funds for Homeland Security.

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Dorgan/Conrad—Ag., Durbin—Customs, Durbin—Homeland Security Management, Feingold—Data Mining, Feingold—Emergency Responders, Feingold—Relevant, Feingold—Relevant, Feingold—TSA, Feinstein—Relevant, Feinstein—Relevant, Fitzgerald—CFO Appointee, Fitzgerald—CFO Political Appointee, Fitzgerald—CFO Political Appointee, Fitzgerald—CFO Reporting, Frist—Relevant or Relevant to the list.

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Lautenberg—Rail Security, Lautenberg—Reimbursement due to convention and elevated alert levels, Lautenberg—Transportation Security Information, Leahy—Immigration (House Version), Levin—Contracting with Corporate Ex-Patriots, Levin—Relevant, Lieberman—Port Security, McConnell—Related, McConnell—Related, McConnell—Related, Mikulski—Fire Grants, Mikulski—Overtime for Border Agents, Murkowski—FEMA Disaster Assist Employee CADRE, Murray—Related, Murray—Related.

Murray—Related, Murray—Related, Murray—Related, Nelson-Florida—Ag., Nelson-Florida—American Red Cross, Nelson-Florida—Economic Assistance, Nelson-Florida—FAA, Nelson-Florida—FEMA, Nelson-Florida—SBA, Nelson-Nebraska—First Responders, Reed—Congressional Notification, Reed—LNG Shipment Security, Reed—Transit Security, Reed—Transit Security, Reid—Hazardous Material Truck Tracking.

Reid—Interoperable Communication, Reid—Relevant, Reid—Relevant to any on list, Reid—TSA Funding, Reid—Waterfall Fire, Schumer—Buffalo Peace Bridge, Schumer—High Threat Urban Area Funding, Schumer—Hospitals, Schumer—Immigration, Schumer—Northern Border, Schumer—Port Security, Schumer—Rail and Transit Security, Schumer—Relevant, Schumer—Relevant, Schumer—Relevant.

Schumer—Rochester Fast Ferry, Schumer—Signal Corps, Schumer—Stingers, Schumer—Truck Security, Shelby—Marine Patrol Aircraft, Specter—Homeland Security, Specter—Homeland Security, Stabenow—Funding for Non-urban Border Crossing, Stabenow—Rundmond/Hart Funding, Stabenow—Rural Volunteers/First Responders, Stevens—Relevant, Stevens—Relevant, Talent—Homeland Spending Allocation, Talent—Threat-Based Assessment, Voinovich—EMPG, Voinovich—First Responders Med. Screening, Warner—Storm Damage, Warner—Storm Damage.

Mr. REID. Madam President, if I may have the attention of the distinguished majority whip, as he can see, there are scores of amendments. We are going to be as cooperative as we can. We have a number of ours that are relevant amendments, and we will work with our side to see how many are serious about offering amendments. It is going to be a real heavy lift to finish this by next Tuesday, which is what the leaders want.

Mr. MCCONNELL. Madam President, I say to my friend, I hope we will have the cooperation to try to winnow down the list and finish up the bill prior to the Jewish holiday, which begins next Wednesday.

MORNING BUSINESS

Mr. MCCONNELL. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that there now be a period for morning business for debate only with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

IN MEMORY OF SALLY KABISCH

Mr. REID. Madame President, there are times in history when one person can and does make a difference.

The recent death of Sally Kabisch reminded me of one such person and one particular period of time.

Sally Kabisch dedicated herself to a remarkable career of conservation. She worked at various times as a grassroots organizer and advocate for conservation efforts in Nevada, California and Alaska.

One of Sally's great achievements was in Nevada.

Perhaps more than any other citizen, Sally is responsible for Nevada's Forest Service Wilderness bill, which I had the opportunity to pass through Congress in 1989.

From 1986 until President Bush signed the Nevada Wilderness Act on December 5, 1909, Sally was an indomitable and ever-optimistic force for protecting wild places in Nevada.

She worked doggedly to build support for wilderness. She organized, she advocated, and she traveled.

As she worked to pass that law, she was patient, positive, enthusiastic, stubborn and determined.

As her friend and another great advocate for Nevada's outdoors, Marge Sill, says, "she was a constant inspiration to all of us."

Sally's husband Tom Kizzia and her children Emily and Ethan know what the rest of us should remember: One person can make a difference.

Sally was one person who made a great difference. Nevada and America are better and wilder for it, forever.

INTERNATIONAL MARIACHI CONFERENCE AND FESTIVAL

Mr. REID. Madam President, today I celebrate the Clark County School District's inaugural International Mariachi Conference and Festival. This event, promoting cultural awareness and appreciation in the Las Vegas community through the performance of mariachi music, will be held in Henderson, NV, this September.

The Clark County School District, already highly regarded for its progressive approach to music education, serves close to 1,000 mariachi students in 12 schools through its newly formed Secondary Mariachi Education Program.

Thanks to the tireless efforts of Jesus Javier Trujillo, Marcia Neal and many others in the Clark County School District, the conference and festival will offer participants a quality musical experience and help foster a lifelong interest in music. For performers, such as the members of Mariachi Cobre, Mariachi Los Arrieros del Valle, and the Clark County School District Mariachi Task Force, the event will offer an opportunity to promote their culture and showcase their musical talents.

I salute Mr. Trujillo, Ms. Neal, and the Clark County School District on establishing the International Mariachi Conference and Festival, and extend my best wishes that this event will enjoy a successful future.

LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 2003

Mr. SMITH. Madam President, I rise today to speak about the need for hate crimes legislation. On May 1, 2003, Senator KENNEDY and I introduced the Local Law Enforcement Enhancement Act, a bill that would add new categories to current hate crimes law, sending a signal that violence of any kind is unacceptable in our society.

In Fort Worth, TX, on October 21, 2000, a high school student was hospitalized after two 17-year-olds allegedly attacked him in a parking lot, beating him and scratching antigay epithets into his car. The victim suffered a broken nose and numerous other injuries, including cuts, bruises and two blood clots on his brain.

I believe that the Government's first duty is to defend its citizens, to defend them against the harms that come out of hate. The Local Law Enforcement Enhancement Act is a symbol that can become substance. I believe that by passing this legislation and changing current law, we can change hearts and minds as well.